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SUBJ: CLOSURE OF ACCRA AIRPORT

REF: ACCRA 4928

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1. COMMISSIONER FOR TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS, E.R.K.

DWEMOH, FORMALLY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT KOTOKA AIRPORT

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WOULD BE CLOSED FROM JULY 13 THROUGH JULY 15 AND THAT IT
WOULD REOPEN FOR NORMAL FLIGHT OPERATIONS ON JULY 16. IN
HIS STATEMENT HE NOTED THAT THE REPAIRS FOLLOW AN INSPEC-
TION OF THE RUNWAY AND THAT THERE WERE HUMPS AND WEAK SPOTS
ON A PORTION OF THE TOUCH-DOWN ZONE WHICH NEED IMMEDIATE
REPAIR.

2. BEGIN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE. MISSION SHARES VIEWS OF
LOCAL AIRLINE OPERATORS THAT REOPENING OF AIRPORT TO
NORMAL TRAFFIC ON JULY 16 MAY BE HIGHLY OPTIMISTIC.
ALTHOUGH CIVIL AVIATION CLAIMS ALL NECESSARY MATERIALS
TO ACCOMPLISH WORK ARE IN COUNTRY, OTHER SOURCES INDICATE
THAT THEY ARE NOT. POST WILL KEEP ADDRESSEES ADVISED
OF ANY CHANGES IN SCHEDULED REPAIRS AND OF REOPENING OF
AIRPORT. END LIMITED OFFICIAL USE.
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